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Serial No.:	10/684,298	§		
Filed:	October 10, 2003	§	Examiner:	Patrick F. Brinson
For:	Heat Pipe Having an Elastic Sealing Member	§	Atty. Dkt. No.:	SIS.0162US (PE-24472-AM)
Customer No.:	21906	§	Confirmation No.:	3087

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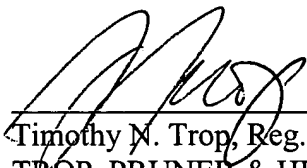
REPLY TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment of November 9, 2004, enclosed is a corrected version of the Reply to Paper No. 09072004 filed on September 27, 2004.

Respectfully submitted,

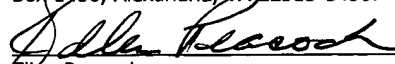
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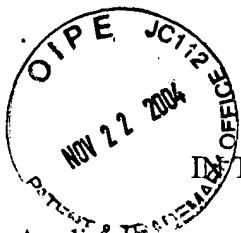

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action of September 8, 2004, amend the above-identified application as follows:

CLAIM AMENDMENTS are reflected in the listing of claims which begins of page 2 of this paper.

REMARKS begin on page 4 of this paper.